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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Serial No. (to be assigned)

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TITLE: AN IMPLEMENT FOR DEMARCATING

AN AREA AS WELL AS A VEHICLE

SUITABLE FOR BEING USED IN SAID IMPLEMENT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

To The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment is for the above-identified Application which is being filed under 35 USC Sec. 111(a) as a Continuation of co-pending International Application No. PCT/NL00/00661, filed September 19, 2000, International Publication No. WO 01/28317 A1, published April 26, 2001. Priority based thereon of September 19, 2000 is claimed and is further claimed for October 20, 1999 based on Dutch Patent Application No. 1013349.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

A Substitute Specification is submitted herewith. It is requested that the Substitute Specification be substituted for the original Specification which is a copy of International Application No. PCT/NL00/00661, a copy of which is being submitted herewith as the original Specification for the instant Application. No new matter has been added to the Substitute Specification. However,